

### The international ecosystem for accelerating the transition to Safeand-Sustainable-by-design materials, products and processes

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The IRISS project aims to connect, synergize and transform the SSbD community in Europe and globally towards a life cycle thinking

- Building, sharing and transferring the skills and knowledge on SSbD
- Develop a global permanent network for long term cooperation between the networking members, engaging partners beyond the consortium, throughout and beyond the duration of the project
- Focus on materials including both products and processes, considering the extensive progress to-date in chemicals and nanotechnology fields
- Strongly support the SSbD implementation in industry to achieve more safe and sustainable products for society
- Establish cooperation mechanisms with relevant international initiatives to align and leverage the extensive international community
- Establish collaboration with industry, EC and the projects that are working with SSbD concepts













- Compiling SSbD criteria and guiding principles
- Building skills and identifying competence gaps
- Co-creating and regularly updating roadmaps that ensure alignment between R&D, governance and industry
- Developing a working framework for establishment of an expanded SSbD community, creating a common mechanism to engage, mobilize and bring together diverse stakeholders



# Building an International permanent SSbD community

- A structure for continuous cooperation and services to network members, potential members, network associates as well as other stakeholders with interests in SSbD
- Definition of services provided by the platform and testing of services addressed to different key target groups
  - Training service for SMEs
  - Service for start-ups to boost business collaboration with industry
  - Co-creation service to establish hubs for specific value chains
  - Knowledge exchange services
  - Knowledge sharing services











## IRISS **Progress on the development of** SSbD supportive roadmap



projects

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Packaging **Textiles** 

**Automotive** 

**Electronics** 

**Energy materials** 

**Construction chemicals** 





### **IRISS: Progress on the development of SSbD** supportive roadmap

Building structural and efficient information sharing process and network



#### Science:

Initial steps on operationalization of SSbD SCIENCE

- IRISS-PARC collaboration
- IRISS-ongoing H2020 and HE projects Bringing science to harmonization and
- standardization
- IRISS-OECD synergies



JRC TECHNICAL REPORT

Safe and Sustainable by Design chemicals and materials

#### **Policy:**

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IRISS structural dialogue with:

- EC RTD
- EC JRC

POLICY

Science-Policy-

#### Industry

Interphase



IRISS consortium consists of NTPs including:

- **Packaging** (IPC; Industrial Technical Centre for Plastics and Composites)
- **Textiles** (ETP; EU Technology Platform for the Future of Textiles & Clothing)
- **Construction chemicals** (EFCC; European Federation for Construction Chemicals)
- Automotive (CLEPA; European Association of Automotive Suppliers)
- Energy materials (EMIRI; Energy Materials Industrial Research Initiative)
- Electronics (INL; International Iberian Nanotechnology Laboratory)

















# Workshop on the application of SSbD in materials and chemicals

- Objective of the workshop
  - To support the state-of-the-art mapping activities in SSbD
  - To obtain first insights on how to translate the framework for SSbD criteria to practical methodologies and tools for SSbD
  - To identify the applicability of the framework, alongside challenges and barriers from a value chain perspective of SSbD
- When: 25th November 0900-1300 CET
- How: Visit <u>www.iriss-ssbd.eu</u> for event registration



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# Thank you!

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